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Rialside
DAHLIA GARDENS
1937

NEW ENGLAND SEEDLINGS
and other Dahlias of Merit

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AL CAVANNAH
9 Adams Ave. Beverly, Mass.

IF IT'S TAGGED "RIALSIDE" IT'S
A WINNER



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FOREWORD

The usual number of so called Super Dahlias again make their appearance for 1937. As usual the majority will fade out of the picture after failing to live up to their reputations. So we will follow our usual custom, by growing some of them and listing only those which make good in our gardens. Of the 1936 novelties Pride of Austenburg was outstanding with us. Of the imported dahlias Mev-van-Iersal and Mev-van-Wykuyzen were the favorites. Rialside Ruby and Rialside Grenadine our introductions of 1936, made a big hit at the gardens and the shows. The most popular Miniatures were Little Dream, Bishop of Llandaff and Robbie. Our largest bloom was a 1937 seedling Immense. Size 13 inches.

Of the many major awards won by our dahlias, the following pleased us most during 1937.

The Gold Medal at the Fall Show of The North Shore Horticultural Society. General Display.

Blue Ribbon, and Special State Award, Topsfield Fair. Display of Miniatures.

Blue Ribbon, and Special at Beverly, Mass. General Display and Display of Miniatures.

Best Display and Best Seedling at Lawrence, Mass.

Best Miniature Seedling at Boston Show.

Our Introductions for 1937 are all big fellows, and as circumstances did not permit us to send them to the Trial Gardens, we are pricing them all \$2.50 with a money back guarantee.

We are now equipped to produce plants in quantity and will be pleased to quote on any number of any variety. Plants of varieties priced over \$1.00 available after May 1st at half the root price.

We urge all Dahlia Growers to join The Dahlia Society of New England, and The American Dahlia Society.

1937 INTRODUCTIONS

- 403 **Autumn Belle**, I.D., Shades of Jane Cowl, broader petals.
- 511 **Autumn Giant**, I.D., Yellow base, red suffusion.
- 525 **Burgundie**, I.D., Dark rose pink.
- 519 **Immense**, I.D., Yellow base, red suffusion, we have grown this 13 inches.
- 501 **Lassie**, S.C., Large Pink.
- 523 **Pink Rose**, F.D., Light rose pink.
- 444 **Superba**, I.D., Rose pink and scarlet. We think this one is the best.
- 516 **Splendor**, I.D., Rose red.

All the above are giants with good stems.
Priced all the same, ROOTS \$2.50 each.

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Rialside Grenadine, I.D., Grenadine red, orange buff reverse. Prolific bloomer. Cert. of Merit Storrs 1935. **Roots \$3.50.**

Rialside Ruby. Inc. Cac. Indian lake to carmine. Cert. of Merit Storrs 1935. **Roots \$2.50.**

Laddie. Semi Cac. Rose pink and Bartya yellow. Grew to 10½ inches at Storrs where it scored 81-⅔ E. **Roots \$2.50.**

Spykie. Inc. Cac. Amaranth purple to rose red. Grew 8½ inches at Storrs where it scored 80M. **Roots \$2.00.**

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Pink Cloud, I.D. Mallow pink tones rose pink. At its best we consider this the world's best pink dahlia. Has a tendency to hook late in the season under some culture. **Roots \$2.00.**

Autumn Maid. I.D. Strawberry pink. A big handsome dahlia with a good stem. Resembles a water lily. Extra good. **Roots \$1.50.**

Pink Lady. I.D. A large pink which was much admired at the shows. **Roots \$1.50.**

GENERAL LIST

Symbols: F.D., Formal Decorative. I.D., Informal Decorative. Cac., Cactus. S.C., Semi-Cactus. Min., Miniature. Col., Collarette.

	Roots
Adorable , I.D., Pink, cream and gold.....	\$2.00
Ann Bartley , I.D., Yellow.....	1.00
Amelia Earhart , S.C., Coral and primrose.....	2.00
Algonquin , F.D., Golden Yellow.....	2.50
Andrea Ericson , I.D., White.....	1.00
Agnes L. Young , Red with gold tips.....	1.00
Buckeye King , F.D., Amber yellow.....	.50
Barbara Jean , I.D., Reddish purple.....	.50
Black Knight , I.D., Dark purple, a giant.....	3.00
California Idol , I.D., Yellow, very fine.....	5.00
Chatauqua Regal , F.D., Red shaded ivory.....	1.00
Chief Justice , F.D., Chamois and rose.....	1.00
Cavalcade , F.D., Salmon. Fine cutter.....	2.00
Cadet , S.C., Light primrose yellow.....	2.00
Champoege , I.D., Amber and rose pink.....	.50
Commodore , I.D., Giant yellow.....	.50
C. Bryce Pinchot , I.D., Rich Burgundy.....	2.50
City of Cleveland , I.D., Orange scarlet.....	2.00
Classic , I.D., White tinted flesh pink.....	5.00
Colonel Lewis , I.D., Deep rose.....	2.00
D. W. Morrow , I.D., Dark red.....	1.00
Elite Glory , F.D., Very large red.....	.50
Florence Flory , I.D., Dark red.....	.50
Ethel Downing , I.D., Pink. The best buy.....	1.00
Frau-o-Bracht , S.C., Creamy yellow.....	.50
Flying Dutchman , I.D., Salmon pink.....	2.00
Farncot , Cac., Purple tipped white.....	.50
Franz Berger , Cac., Coral red, Plants only.....	1.00
Golden Jewell , I.D., A Golden Giant.....	5.00
Goodacres Sensation , S.C., Coral.....	1.00
Golden Age , S.C., Amber orange.....	2.00
Harry Mayer , F.D., Soft lilac.....	.50
Joyce Lawrence , I.D., Orchid and silver Plants only.....	1.00

Joger, Cac., Coral red to carmine. Plants only.....	1.00
James Roosevelt, I.D., Bronzy yellow.....	1.00
Jane Cowl, I.D., Bronze buff.....	.50
Jean Keefer, I.D., Rose pink.....	.50
Lavendo, I.D., Dark Lavender. Good.....	1.00
Lord of Autumn, I.D., Best yellow to date.....	2.00
Monmouth Champion, F.D., Orange Flame.....	.50
Monmouth Queen, F.D., Primrose yellow.....	2.00
Miss Sarah Roosevelt. Reddish purple.....	1.00
Miss Antwerp, Cac. Pink Yellow base Plants only.....	1.00
Mrs. Stanley Perry, S.C., Chamois. Giant.....	1.00
Mev-van-Iersal, Cac. White. Plants only.....	1.00
Mev-van-Wykuyzen. Cac. Fiery red. Plants only.....	1.00
Maidens Blush, I.D., White flushed pink.....	2.00
National Highway, I.D., Dark Maroon.....	1.00
National Gem, I.D., Mulberry rose.....	1.00
Orange Brilliant, F.D., Bright orange.....	2.00
Oriental Girl. I.D., Yellow red suffusion.....	1.00
Oriental Glory. I.D., Orange and scarlet.....	1.00
Prince of Persia, I.D., Cardinal red.....	.75
Paul Pfitzer, Cac. Pink and primrose.....	1.00
Pink Spiral. Cac. Pink yellow center.....	2.00
Pink Ambassador, S.C. Pink very large.....	1.00
Pink Champion. I.D., Pink good cutter.....	1.00
Pride of Austenburg. I.D., Grenadine pink and yellow. If you buy only one, buy this.....	5.00
Peaches. I.D., Peachy pink, very good.....	2.50
Remarkable. I.D., Red white tips.....	2.00
Robert Emmett. I.D., Cardinal red.....	1.50
Royal White. F.D., Pure White. Very good.....	1.00
Ruth M. F.D. Gold white tips.....	1.00
Salem Pride. Violet streaked white.....	.50
Satan, S.C., Bright red giant.....	1.00
Saarlands Heimkehr. Salmon red and yellow. Plants only.....	1.00
Spotlight, I.D., Sulphur yellow.....	1.00
Thomas Edison. F.D., Purple. Late.....	.50
Vagabond King. F.D., Wine red. Very good.....	1.00
White Gem. I.D., A new white. Extra good.....	2.00
White Knight. F.D., White. Very prolific.....	1.00
White Abundance. F.D., Best White in the list Plants only.....	2.00
Yankee Gold. I.D., Golden Bronze. Large.....	2.50

MINIATURE DAHLIAS

Baby Royal. S.C., Salmon pink.....\$.35
Bishop of Llandaff. Duplex. Red.....	.50
Buckeye Jr. F.D., Rose and bronze.....	.35
Carla. S.C., Buff shaded pink.....	.35
Camelia. Duplex. Orange scarlet.....	.35
Fairy. F.D., Called miniature Jersey Beauty.....	.35
Gaillard. Cac., Red of good form.....	.35
Good Luck. Dec. Rich Orange.....	.35
Little Dream. Cac. Bright Pink.....	1.00
Little Snow Queen. Cac. White.....	1.00
Little Jewell. I.D., Clear Pink.....	.35
Red Head. I.D., Orange scarlet.....	.35
Robbie. Collarette. Red and yellow.....	.35
Skippy. Dec., White tipped red.....	.35
Selbourne. I.D., Red flame.....	.50
Herman-de-boer. Dec., Bright scarlet. Very long stems fine cutter. Plants only.....	1.00

POM PONS

All good named varieties. **25 cents each.**
We will have a large collection of imported novelties this Spring, including Singles, Collarettes, Bedding Dahlias, and new type Forcing or Potting Dahlias. These will be available in plants only.

List available in March. Write your needs.

A SPECIAL OFFER

Shipped after May 15th our selection. All from this list, and properly labelled. Ten different varieties. Value ten dollars or more, for five dollars. Or ten different varieties, value twenty dollars or more, for ten dollars.

TIME OF DELIVERY. Tubers shipped postpaid, at the proper planting time, unless otherwise requested, but we do not guarantee any tuber shipped before April 1st. If tubers are not to be planted at once upon arrival, they should be placed in moist sand to prevent eyes drying out.

GUARANTEED. True to name, and in good growing condition when delivered. If tuber fails to grow, we will replace it free of charge.